

DAIRY AND LIVESTOCK RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All entries must be pre-registered by July 26, 2017. Judging is planned to be done over all three days of the Fair.
2. All livestock must meet the requirements of the State of Maryland Animal Health Department and be accompanied by approved health papers at the time of arrival.
3. All animals must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor.
4. The Great Pocomoke Fair is open to all without regard to County or State of residence.
5. All Exhibitors **MUST** accompany livestock for weigh-in entry to Fair. **All poultry and rabbits must arrive between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 AND WILL BE RELEASED ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2017 AT 8 A.M.**
6. Exhibitors are asked to bring all equipment needed. Exhibitors are responsible for the care of their animals while on the grounds. Pens, stalls, and animals should be kept presentable at all times. All equipment will be stored in a specific tack area when not in active use and aisles are to be clear for the public to move through without risk. All stalls and pens are to be cleaned before leaving!
7. All animals must be exhibited by their owner, except in classes where two (2) animals may be shown in the same class and Fitting & Showing. In this case, their other animal may be shown by a friend.
8. All Exhibitors will be limited to two (2) entries in any one class. In the event there is only one entry in a class, classes may be combined.
9. Proper Fitting & Showing attire is required, according to the Maryland State Fair Book. Courtesy and respect for livestock, peer exhibitors, parents/leaders, and the public is expected.
10. Market animals will be weighed or tape measured and placed in the appropriate class on the day of arrival. Please enter an estimated class when pre-registering.
11. In the event there is only one entry in a class, the placing shall depend on the merit of the entry and the award made at the discretion of the judge.
12. Rosettes will be given for Champion placing.
13. No drugs or alcoholic beverages will be tolerated.
14. Every effort will be made to protect the animals or entries while on the fairgrounds. However, The Great Pocomoke Fair Board disclaims any responsibility for loss or damage to persons or property.
15. All rules are subject to final interpretation by the Livestock Superintendent. Any rule, interpretation, or change made by the Superintendent shall reflect the best interests of the exhibitor and the youngsters involved.

**DEPARTMENT "F" FOWL
DIVISION "P" POULTRY**

1. Poultry show will be open to Youth, Open Junior and Open Adult and will be displayed from Wednesday to Saturday.
2. State of Maryland regulations require that all poultry entered into Exhibition must have originated from Pullorum-Typhoid clean flock or have had a negative test within 30 days of exhibition.
3. All birds must be blood tested prior to the show and have approved papers, which must accompany birds on the day of entry.
4. Entrants are limited to a total of 15 birds. There may be more than one entry per class.
5. Exhibitors are responsible for providing food and water for their birds.
6. All entries must pre-register by July 26, 2017.
7. All poultry will be accepted for exhibit between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 **AND WILL BE RELEASED AT 8:00 A.M. ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2017.**
8. **Judging will start at 6:00 p.m. Thursday, August 3, 2017.**

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$6; Second Place: \$4; Third Place: \$2
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS EGG LAYERS

1. White Egg Layer (Male)
2. White Egg Layer (Female)
3. Brown Egg Layer (Male)
4. Brown Egg Layer (Female)
5. Broilers (Pen – 2 Males)
6. Broilers (Pen – 2 Females)
7. Roaster
8. Capon

CLASS PUREBRED LARGE FOWL

9. American (Male) (*including Plymouth Rocks, Dominiques, Wyandottes, Javas, Rhode Island Reds, Rhode Island Whites, Buckeyes, Chanteclers, Jersey Giants, Lamonas, New Hampshires, Hollands and Delawares*)
10. American (Female)
11. English (Male) (*including Dorkings, RedCaps, Cornish, Orpingtons, Sussex, and Australorps*)
12. English (Female)
13. Asiatic (Male) (*including Brahmas, Cochins, and Langshans*)
14. Asiatic (Female)
15. Mediterranean (Male) (*including Leghorns, Minorcas, Spanish, Andalusians, Anconas, Sicilian Buttercups, and Catalanas*)
16. Mediterranean (Female)
17. Any other Purebred Breed (Male)
18. Any other Purebred Breed (Female)
19. Crossbred (Male)
20. Crossbred (Female)

CLASSPUREBRED BANTAMS

21. Single Comb Clean Leg (Male) (*including Anconas, Andalusians, Australorps, Catalanans, Cam pines, Delawares, Dorkings, Dutch, Frizzles, Hollands, Japanese, Javas, Jersey Giants, Lakenvelders, Lamonas, Leghorns, Minorcas, Naked Necks, New Hampshires, Orpingtons, Phoenix, Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, Spanish, and Sussex*)
22. Single Comb Clean Leg (Female)
23. Rose Comb Clean Leg (Male) (*including Anconas, Belgian Bearded d'Anvers, Dorkings, Dominiques, Hamburgs, Leghorns, Minorcas, RedCaps, Rhode Island Reds, Rosecombs, Sebrights, and Wyandottes*)
24. Rose Comb Clean Leg (Female)
25. Any other Comb Clean Leg (Male) (*including Ameraucanas, Araucanas, Buckeyes, Chanteclers, Cornish, Crevecoeurs, Cubalayas, Houdans, La Fleche, Malays, Polish, Shamos, Sicilian Buttercups, Sumatras, and Yokohamas*)
26. Any other Comb Clean Leg (Female)
27. Feathered Legged (Male) (*including Booted, Brahmas, Cochins, Faverolles, Frizzles, Langshans, Silkies, and Sultans*)
28. Feathered Legged (Female)
29. Modern Game (Male)
30. Modern Game (Female)
31. Old English (Male)
32. Old English (Female)
33. Crossbred (Male)
34. Crossbred (Female)

CLASSDUCKS

35. Large (Male)
36. Large (Female)
37. Bantam (Male)
38. Bantam (Female)

CLASSGEESE

39. Any Breed (Male)
40. Any Breed (Female)

CLASSPIGEONS (Pairs)

41. Archangel
42. Birmingham
43. Fantail
44. Giant Horner
45. Racing Horner
46. Jacobian
47. Modena
48. Tumbler
49. White King
50. Any other breed.

**DEPARTMENT "L" LIVESTOCK
DIVISION "D" DAIRY**

Dairy (Holstein & Other Breed)

Judging at 6:30 p.m. – Friday, August 4, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS DESCRIPTION

1. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
2. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
3. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)
4. Fitting & Showing - Champion
5. Junior Heifer Calf – born 3/1/2017-4/7/2017 (4 mos. old)
6. Intermediate Heifer Calf – born 12/1/2016-2/28/17
7. Senior Heifer Calf – born 9/1/2016 – 11/30/2016
8. Jr. Yearling Heifer – born 3/1/2016 – 8/31/2016
9. Sr. Yearling Heifer – born 9/1/2015-2/28/16 (Not in Milk)
10. Cow – Jr. 2 years old – born 3/1/2015-8/31/2015
11. Cow – Sr. 2 years old – born 9/1/2014-2/28/2015

DIVISION "D" DAIRY

Holstein & Other Breed

Judging at 7:00 p.m. – Friday, August 4, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS DESCRIPTION

12. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
13. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
14. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)
15. Fitting & Showing - Champion
16. Feeder Calf – 400-600 Pounds
17. Lightweight Steer – Under 1,000 Pounds
18. Heavyweight Steer – Over 1,000 Pounds
19. Junior Steer Calf – born 1/1/2017 – 4/10/2017 (4 mos. old)
20. Senior Steer Calf – born 9/1/2016-12/31/2016
21. Summer Yearling Steer – born 5/1/2016-8/31/2016
22. Junior Yearling Steer – born 1/1/2016-4/30/2016
23. Senior Yearling Steer – born 9/1/2015-12/31/2015

DIVISION "B" BEEF

Judging at 7:30 p.m. – Friday, August 4, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS DESCRIPTION

1. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
2. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
3. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)

4. Fitting & Showing – Champion
5. Feeder Calf – 400-600 Pounds
6. Lightweight Steer – Under 1,000 Pounds
7. Heavyweight Steer – Over 1,000 Pounds
8. Junior Heifer Calf – born 1/1/2017-4/10/2017 (must be 4 mos. old)
9. Senior Heifer Calf – born 9/1/2016-12/31/2016
10. Summer Yearling Heifer – born 5/1/2016 – 8/31/2016
11. Jr. Yearling Heifer – born 1/1/2016 – 4/30/2016
12. Sr. Yearling Heifer – born 9/1/2015-12/31/2015
13. Cow – Jr. 2 years old – born 3/1/2015-8/31/2015
14. Cow – Sr. 2 years old – born 9/1/2014-2/28/2015

DIVISION “AB” BEEF – ADULT EXHIBITORS
Judging – 8:30 p.m. - Friday, August 4, 2017
following youth classes

Entry Fee: \$10 per head

Prizes awarded: First Place: 50 percent of entry fees; Second Place: 30 percent of entry fees

CLASS DESCRIPTION

1. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
2. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
3. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)
4. Fitting & Showing – Champion
5. Feeder Calf – 400-600 Pounds
6. Lightweight Steer – Under 1,000 Pounds
7. Heavyweight Steer – Over 1,000 Pounds
8. Junior Heifer Calf – born 1/1/2017-4/10/2017 (must be 4 mos. old)
9. Senior Heifer Calf – born 9/1/2016-12/31/2016
10. Summer Yearling Heifer – born 5/1/2016 – 8/31/2016
11. Jr. Yearling Heifer – born 1/1/2016 – 4/30/2016
12. Sr. Yearling Heifer – born 9/1/2015-12/31/2015
13. Cow – Jr. 2 years old – born 3/1/2015-8/31/2015
14. Cow – Sr. 2 years old – born 9/1/2014-2/28/2015

DIVISION “S” SHEEP

Judging at 11:00 a.m. – Saturday, August 5, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS DESCRIPTION

1. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
2. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
3. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)
4. Fitting & Showing - Champion
5. Market Lamb – Lightweight
6. Market Lamb - Middleweight
7. Market Lamb - Heavyweight

8. Ram Lamb - Senior – born 9/1/2016 – 12/31/2016
9. Ram Lamb – Junior – born after 1/1/2016 and before 5/1/2016
10. Ewe Lamb – Senior - born 9/1/2016-12/31/2016
11. Ewe Lamb – Junior – born after 1/1/2016- and before 5/1/2016
12. Ewe – under 2 years, born after 9/1/2015 and before 9/1/2016
13. Aged Ram – 2 years or under, born before 9/1/2015
14. Aged Ewe - 2 years or under, born before 9/1/2015

DIVISION “G” MEAT GOATS

Judging at 12:30 p.m. – Saturday, August 5, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

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| 1. | Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer) |
| 2. | Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13) |
| 3. | Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18) |
| 4. | Junior Doe Kid – Born after March 31 |
| 5. | Senior Doe Kid – Born January 1 – March 31 |
| 6. | Yearling Doe – 1 year and under 2 years old |
| 7. | Senior Production Doe – 2 years and older |
| 8. | Market Meat – 1 year and under – born after 8/1/2016 – (Minimum 40#/
Maximum 100#) |
| 9. | Buck Kid – 1 year and under, born after 8/1/2016 |

DIVISION “AG” MEAT GOATS – ADULT EXHIBITORS

Judging – 10:35 a.m. - Saturday, August 5, 2017 following youth classes

Entry Fee: \$10 per head

Prizes awarded: First Place: 50 percent of entry fees; Second Place: 30 percent of entry
fees

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| 10. | Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer) |
| 11. | Fitting & Showing – Senior |
| 12. | Junior Doe Kid – 4 months to 1 year old |
| 13. | Senior Doe Kid - 1 year and under 2 years old |
| 14. | Junior Yearling Doe – Between 8-12 months old |
| 15. | Senior Yearling Doe – 1 year and under 2 years old |
| 16. | Senior Production Doe – 2 years and older |
| 17. | Market Meat – 1 year and under – born after 8/1/2016 – (Minimum 40#/
Maximum 100#) |
| 18. | Buck Kid – 1 year and under, born after 8/1/2016 |

DIVISION “DG” DAIRY GOATS

Judging at 11:30 a.m. – Saturday, August 5, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

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| 19. | Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer) |
| 20. | Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13) |
| 21. | Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18) |

22. Junior Kid – born on or after 4/1/2017
23. Senior Kid – born on or after 12/1/2016-3/31/2017
24. Dry Yearling – born 11/30/2014 or before (under 2 years old)
25. Milking Yearling – born on or after 12/1/2014 and in milk
26. Doe in Milk – 2 years old and under 3, born on or after 12/1/2014 and before 12/1/2015
27. Doe in Milk – 3 years old and under 4, born on or after 12/1/2013 and before 12/1/2014
28. Doe in Milk – 4 years old and under 5, born on or after 12/1/2012 and before 12/1/2013
29. Doe in Milk – 5 years old and over, born prior to 12/1/2011
30. Dairy herd – 3 Does in Milk, owned by exhibitor.

DIVISION “PG” PYGMY GOATS
Judging at 10:30 a.m. – Saturday, August 5, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS DESCRIPTION

31. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
32. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
33. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)
34. Junior Doe Kid – Under 4 months old
35. Senior Doe Kid - 1 year and under 2 years old
36. Junior Yearling Doe – Between 8-12 months old
37. Senior Yearling Doe – 1 year and under 2 years old
38. Senior Production Doe – 2 years and older
39. Market Meat – 1 year and under – born after 8/1/2016 – (Minimum 40#/ Maximum 100#)
40. Buck Kid – 1 year and under, born after 8/1/2016

DIVISION “W” SWINE
Judging at 5:00 p.m. – Friday, August 4, 2017

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$20; Second Place: \$15; Third Place: \$10
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

CLASS DESCRIPTION

1. Fitting & Showing – Novice (First Timer)
2. Fitting & Showing – Junior (8-13)
3. Fitting & Showing – Senior (14-18)
4. Fitting & Showing – Champion
5. Spring Gilt – farrowed 1/1/2017 – 5/1/2017
6. Lightweight Market Hogs – 180-210 Pounds.
7. Middleweight Market Hogs – 211-270 Pounds. If there is an extensive number or weight variety, this class will be divided in half by weight and form Class 7A and 7B. Divide the number of hogs weighing between 241 pounds and 270 pounds in half. Light half 241-255 pounds will be Class 7A. The heavier half up to 270 pounds in Class 7B. The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion must come from Class 7A or 7B.

8. Heavyweight Market Hogs – 270+ Pounds. These hogs will be shown in Fitting & Showing (if necessary) and be eligible for premium money. Not eligible for Grand Champion. Hogs may be sold at auction for fair market value.

DIVISION “R” RABBITS

1. Rabbit show will be Open Youth and Open Adult and will be displayed from Wednesday to Saturday.
2. Exhibitors are responsible for providing food and water for their animals.
3. All entries must pre-register by July 26, 2017.
4. Class, breed, sex, and ear tattoo number must be written on the entry blank.
5. Rabbits in breed and fur classes must be a minimum of 12 weeks old to be shown.
6. All animals must be entered for exhibit between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 **AND WILL BE RELEASED AT 8:00 A.M. ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2017.**
7. **Judging will start at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, August 3, 2017.**

Prizes awarded: First Place: \$6; Second Place: \$4; Third Place: \$2
Champion: \$15; Reserved Champion: \$10

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1.	Dutch Buck
2.	Dutch Doe
3.	Holland Lop Buck
4.	Holland Lop Doe
5.	Netherlands Dwarf Buck
6.	Netherlands Dwarf Doe
7.	Jersey Wooly Buck
8.	Jersey Wooly Doe
9.	Mini Rex Buck
10.	Mini Rex Doe
11.	Satin Buck
12.	Satin Doe
13.	Any Other Purebred Buck (Small)
14.	Any Other Purebred Doe (Small)
15.	Crossbred Buck (Small)
16.	Crossbred Doe (Small)
17.	California Buck
18.	California Doe
19.	French Lop Buck
20.	French Lop Doe
21.	Chinchilla Buck
22.	Chinchilla Doe
23.	Mini Lop Buck
24.	Mini Lop Doe
25.	New Zealand White Buck
26.	New Zealand White Doe
27.	Angora Buck
28.	Angora Doe
29.	Any Other Purebred Buck (Large)

30. Any Other Purebred Doe (Large)
31. Crossbred Buck (Large)
32. Crossbred Doe (Large)